

I understand that Sinclair Broadcasting has ordered all of its local stations, including at least one in my area, to air "Stolen Honor" (a highly politically motivated, anti-Kerry "documentary") shortly before the election. At the same time, it is my understanding that these stations will not be airing a comparable, pro-Kerry documentary. This strikes me as a blatant misuse of the public airwaves; one that is particularly irresponsible coming so close to a highly contested, very close election. I thought there were requirements that stations give equal time and equal access to opposing political view points. Frankly, I would be just as outraged if a company broadcast only pro-Kerry or anti-Bush pieces, and refused to air the other side. I don't know exactly what power the FCC has to get involved in this matter, but I strongly urge you to take whatever action you can, either to require Sinclair to present both sides of this dispute in a meaningful way or, if they won't, to prohibit them from airing only "Stolen Honor." Thank you.